EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING MAY 17, 2011

CALL TO ORDER

The Emergency Management Coordinator, Jim Hall called to order the monthly meeting of the Silver Spring Township Emergency Management Council. The meeting was held at the Silver Spring Township Office:

ROLL CALL

Those attending were:

Jim Hall, Silver Spring Township Emergency Management Coordinator Dick Hammon, Superintendent of Police, Silver Spring Township Doug McDonald, Fire Chief Silver Spring Fire Company Harold Trautman, Ambulance Chief, Silver Spring Ambulance Association Donald Baughman, Citizen Representative

ABSENT:

Mary Lou Pierce-McLain, Board of Supervisor Representative Curt Hall, Fire Chief New Kingstown Fire Company Glen Hostetler, Mike Ott, John Miller, Citizen Representative

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: None

GUEST: None

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MONTHS MINUTES

On a motion by Donald Baughman and 2nd by Doug McDonald and passed by the group, the April 19, 2011 minutes were approved.

NEW SUBDIVISION PLANS REVIEWED

Foxwood Estates – 6 lot subdivision on Mulberry Drive:

Comment: The proposed house location was close to the 100 year flood zone. Kollas Self Storage – Storage buildings along Carlisle Pike and Appalachian Drive.

Comment: None reviewed before.

OLD BUSINESS

Township Fire Box Review – Doug McDonald no progress.

Jim Hall again thanked each Fire Company for their many hours and efforts in pumping of basements during recent rain events.

NEW BUSINESS

Cheryl Neidig, Township Bookkeeper has the new fuel cards that will be released to the emergency services when the old cards are returned to her. Current cards will expire May 31, 2011.

GOOD OF COUNCIL

Donald Baughman reported work on the Penna. Turnpike is continuing with widening from the Carlisle Interchange to the Blue Mountain Tunnel. In addition, the Plainfield and Blue Mountain Plaza's will be demolished and replaced with new facilities.

Don also questioned the need for all the new voting districts in the township. Jim Hall told the group that the Board of Supervisors requested 2 additional voting districts. The County Election Board broke the districts down according to the state guidelines.

Doug McDonald had questions on the Rte. 114 and I-81 intersection marking of traffic lines. Discussion followed. Doug also discussed the Rte. 114 and Rte. 11 intersection reconstruction. Jim Hall told the group this project should be finished sometime in the August time frame.

Doug also reported since the paving project on Maple Drive that it takes the traffic light longer to change.

ADJOURNMENT

With no other business to be conducted and on a motion by Doug McDonald and seconded by Don Baughman and approved by those attending, the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.